

diverted, or avulsion, accretion, or other conditions of the channel, the department may order the owner to replace or modify the screen at the owner's cost, or the department may replace or modify the screen, notify the owner of the cost thereof, and the owner shall, within 30 days, remit the amount of the cost to the department.

SECTION 3. Notwithstanding Section 17610 of the Government Code, if the Com-

mission on State Mandates determines that this act contains costs mandated by the state, reimbursement to local agencies and school districts for those costs shall be made pursuant to Part 7 (commencing with Section 17500) of Division 4 of Title 2 of the Government Code. If the statewide cost of the claim for reimbursement does not exceed five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), reimbursement shall be made from the State Mandates Claims Fund.

AMENDED IN SENATE MAY 18, 1987
AMENDED IN SENATE APRIL 20, 1987

SENATE BILL No. 1335

Introduced by Senator McCorquodale

March 6, 1987

An act to amend Section 4604 of the Public Resources Code, relating to forest practices.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST
SB 1335, as amended, McCorquodale.
Forest practices: inspections.

Under the Z'berg-Nejedly Forest Practice Act of 1973, the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection is required to provide at specified times, as needed, inspections of an area in which timber operations are conducted.

This bill would remove the authority of the department to omit an inspection upon determination that it is not needed, except that where a registered professional forester has assumed specified responsibilities with respect to the operations, the Director of For-

estry and Fire Protection could provide such inspections of the area as the director determines are necessary.

The bill would authorize the Department of Fish and Game and the State *Water Resources Control Board* to enter and inspect land at any time during timber harvest plan activities on the land.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California
do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 4604 of the Public Resources Code is amended to read:

4604. (a) The department shall provide an initial inspection of the area in which tim-

ber operations are to be conducted within 10 days from the date of filing of the timber harvesting plan, or a longer period as may be mutually agreed upon by the department and the person submitting the plan, except that the inspection need not be made if the department determines that it would not add substantive information that is necessary to enforce this chapter. In any event, the department shall provide for inspections, as needed, as follows:

(1) During the period of commencement

of timber operations.

(2) When timber operations are well underway.

(3) Following completion of timber operations.

(4) At any other times determined to be necessary to enforce this chapter.

The Department of Fish and Game and the State Water Resources Control Board may enter and inspect land at any time during the timber harvest plan activities on the land.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No.43

Introduced by Senator McCorquodale

April 28, 1988

Senate Joint Resolution No. 43— Relative to Fish and Wildlife.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SJR 43, as introduced, McCorquodale. Fish and wildlife: water needs: studies.

This measure would memorialize the President and Congress of the United States to direct the Bureau of Reclamation to suspend its efforts to sell water from the Central Valley Project until specified fish and wildlife studies have been completed.

Fiscal committee: no.

WHEREAS, Fish and wildlife in California are dependent on adequate flows of freshwater in the state's rivers and estuaries; and

WHEREAS, the State Water Resources Control Board has commenced hearings to determine the amount and quality of water flowing through the San Francisco Bay-Delta estuary which is necessary to protect the fisheries, wildlife, and other beneficial uses of the

water and will decide if the amount of water which the Central Valley Project and State Water Project currently pump from the estuary should be modified to protect the fisheries and other beneficial uses of the Delta; and

WHEREAS, During the recent hearings the State Water Resources Control Board was presented with extensive testimony that the past operations of the Central Valley Project and State Water Project may be causing significant damage to the Bay-Delta fisheries; and

WHEREAS, On December 29, 1978, the Secretary of the Interior issued a formal decision directing the agencies of the Department of the Interior to determine the status of the fish and wildlife resources of the Central Valley and recognizing the obligation of the federal government to participate in meeting water quality and other conditions necessary to conserve and protect the fish and wildlife resources of the Central Valley and the San Francisco Bay-Delta estuary; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary's decision was